

## HAPPENINGS

### GENERAL INTEREST

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| <p><b>NEWS HAPPENINGS<br/>OF GENERAL INTEREST</b></p> <hr/> <p><b>Items Gleaned From All Parts<br/>of New England</b></p> <p>Because his children were annoyed by his long name, Max Lautenschlager of Lewiston, Me., petitioned to the probate court to have his name changed.</p> | <p><b>BOSTON MARKET REVIEW</b></p> <p>For Week Ending April 14, 1923.</p> <p><b>Prepared by U. S. Bureau of Markets<br/>and Crop Estimates</b></p> <p><b>FRUITS AND VEGETABLES</b></p> <p>Trading fairly active with a week of moderate less plentiful than most and the price trend generally steady and upward. Shipped in East New England:</p> <p><b>Bulbiferous</b>—Onions sold storage in lots at \$6.00-6.50 a barrel, California asparagus firm at \$4.00-6.00 a dozen bunches, tomato bunches and carrots scarce at higher at \$4.00 and \$4.50 a bu. bush.</p> |
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The strike of the Worcester, Mass., coal carriers was broken when the contractors yielded to the demands of the men and agreed to grant them an increase in wages from 75 to 90 cents an hour.

President James H. Hustis of the Boston & Maine railroad declared to the stockholders at their annual meeting in Boston that the predictions that the new line would acquire their system are insubstantial.

Indorsement of the plan to erect a memorial building to commemorate the heroic deeds of Massachusetts soldiers and sailors was announced at the annual encampment of the state division of the Sons of Veterans.

Driving an automobile after his license had been suspended cost David W. Harrington of West Roxbury, Mass. \$1000 in fines and costs. Dedham court. Reports show that Harrington had been in court eleven times last year on charges of violating the automobile laws.

Listed in war department records as a deserter, Private William F. Kittredge of Clinton, Mass., it has just been established, was killed in service with the 10th Cavalry in Mexico. Private Kittredge was a member of company F, 1st division. He enlisted in the regular army at the age of 17.

Within a few weeks Thomas W. Murphy, noted horse owner and driver, is expected to assume ownership of

Under Oak Park, the historic race track, the Connecticut Turnpike Authority of the Connecticut Turnpike Association stockholders voted unanimously to accept Murphy's certified check for \$2500 for a 30-day option to purchase the 120-acre park for \$200,000.

Numerous automobile tourists, who were not aware that the Mohawk trail is not open for motor traffic, have been stuck in traffic jams at the summit of the trail is still badly drifted, although a few machines have been able to break through with the help of some shoveling. It is predicted that at least a week more must pass before the trail is ready for traffic.

Albert C. Billicke, a member of the Junior class at Williams college, Williamsport, Pa., was killed.

Grazed by poison liquor, Oscar Carson, a night worker in a Worcester, Mass., mill, was killed by his horse and, without warning, stabbed his

home in Los Angeles, to claim a bride and fortune. By the death of his father three years ago, he was left \$30,000.00, the will providing that the money be kept in trust for him until he should reach the age of 21. He celebrated that birthday and he has taken advantage of the Easter recess to go home and be married.

Judge James W. Willett of Iowa, commander-in-chief of the G. A. R., who attended the annual encampment of the Massachusetts G. A. R. in Boston, delivered a speech in which he declared that the Ku Klux Klan organization known as the Ku Klux Klan and the I. W. W., and declared for a system of arbitration which would prevent such occurrences as the shootings and murders which were

year-old daughter, fractured her skull with some blunt instrument, drove her wife naked from their home, then choked his own throat. The man was declared insane and committed to the state hospital. His daughter was taken to the hospital in a plying condition and the mother was prostrated.

The special committee appointed by New England governors to investigate the railroad situation has found conditions "far from hopeless," believing there are prospects of a broader market for New England than the section has heretofore enjoyed and is opening an open mind in the question of consolidating New England lines in one system or of merging with trunk lines. James J. Storrow, chairman of the committee, told the Massachusetts

Incident to the recent coin strike.

Friends of Joseph Doyle, a shoe-wearer taken ill in Marlboro, Mass., appeared at the police station to tell him, saying he was in a strained condition. He was sent to the Marlboro hospital for observation and treatment at the expense of the city. Nurses who searched his pockets to remove various personal articles found a .38 calibre pocket pistol, which they got through counting the ring they found it totalled \$2640. In other pockets were found two \$200 Liberty bonds, making a total of wealth in his personal bank of \$3240.

Has the ghost of President Calvin E. Hubert returned to Middlebury, Vt., College? This is the question which a representative of the college

"I've just killed a man," said Mrs. Armie DiPari, 23, as she walked in a prosecutor, James J. Connelley, and a .38 calibre pocket handgun, which she had taken from the Sergeant's desk. This ambulance was sent to the tenement house and the police found Salvatore Martucci unconscious on a bed. They took him to the city hospital, where he was pronounced dead of a heart attack. The police say that the victim was a notorious gunman, who was on parole from the state prison, where he was sent for a Boston robbery.

Mrs. Di Puri said that she shot him as he lay sleeping in a bed in the tenement where she sold him to a white slave venture and threatened her life.

A stark naked youth who sauntered up and down the avenue, Springfield

has placed before Sir Arthur Conan Doyle in New York, says the Boston Herald. The Rev. Dr. Hubert held a public meeting at the Y. M. C. A. institution from 1875 to 1880. He has been dead these many years, but recently when a New York photographer went to the college to obtain pictures of the campus, what is said to be an ectoplasmic manifestation of the former president manifested itself. The picture, in which the face of the president appeared, was taken at night within the old chapel, looking through glass windows to the illuminated facade of the new chapel.

Renewed prosperity in Massachusetts during the past year is clearly revealed in the 1922 federal income tax figures announced by Internal

Unfavorable report of the bill compelling automobile owners, to carry liability insurance was indicated during a ways and means hearing on the

of the contractor, and the income tax which ended last month total collections of nearly \$7,000,000 over the year previous and a gain of over 10,000 more returns. The total figures for the March period show that 491,000 returns were filed and \$39,008,692 collected while a year ago the figures were \$39,245 returns netting \$23,855,557.

**Can Join Mine.**  
A process for joining mica has been patented by a Calcutta man. It consists in bringing the parts into contact, applying a mica solution, and subjecting the whole to heat and to slight pressure. With borax used as a flux mica may thus be joined to metal.

**Better to Hear Than to Speak.**  
Hear much and speak little, for the most of the benefit of the soul comes from the ear.

**Prayer.**  
Prayer that her little boy remarked that he did not rather have because than the toothache, because he didn't have to have his ear pulled out.

Quits So.

A doctor has written an article de-fending cosmetics. We always thought their use injurious, but this puts a new complexion on the matter.—From the Boston Transcript.

Here Life of Unmarried Girl.

In the Pacific, the unmarried woman lives in a tree above the other natives, in a shaky little hut made from bamboo.

Meaning No Names.

We are told that the truth will out—and it seems to be overwhelmingly out of some people.—Exchange.

That's All the Difference.

Some girls don't write home from college for several weeks and some run out of spending money in a few days.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Lines Worth Remembering.

Envy is a low and degrading passion, and should be striven against.—Klontz.

South Africa Really in Lead.

South African diamond fields yield about 60 per cent of the total product.











